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WASHINGTON, APRIL 12, REUTER--THE GOVERNMENT OBTAINED A COURT ORDER TODAY TEMPORARILY SILENCING A FORMER OFFICIAL OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY (CIA) WHO HAS BEEN WRITING AND TALKING FREELY ABOUT THE HUSH-HUSH AGENCY SINCE HE LEFT IT IN 1969.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT, U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE ALBERT V. BRYAN, JR. ISSUED A TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER THAT REQUIRES VICTOR L. MARCHETTI, FORMER EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DEPUTY-DIRECTOR OF THE CIA, TO SUBMIT TO THE AGENCY IN ADVANCE OF PUBLICATION EVERYTHING HE WRITES ABOUT IT.

THE GOVERNMENT SAID THE PROHIBITION WILL INSURE THAT MARCHETTI DOES NOT USE CLASSIFIED INFORMATION. HE HAS BREACHED THE SECRECY REGULATIONS ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS SINCE LEAVING THE CIA, THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID.

IN AN AFFIDAVIT FILED WITH THE COMPLAINT, CIA DIRECTOR RICHARD HELMS SAID A NATIONAL MAGAZINE ARTICLE BY MR. MARCHETTI SCHEDULED TO BE PUBLISHED SHORTLY WOULD ENDANGER CURRENT INTELLIGENCE SOURCES.

A BOOK MR. MARCHETTI IS ABOUT TO PUBLISH WOULD "RESULT IN GRAVE AND IRREPARABLE INJURY TO THE INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES," THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID.

THE ORDER GRANTED BY JUDGE BRYAN WILL BAR MARCHETTI FROM VIOLATING THE SECRECY AGREEMENT HE SIGNED WHILE WITH THE CIA, BUT IT WILL EXPIRE IN TEN DAYS UNLESS THE GOVERNMENT CAN, IN SUBSEQUENT COURT PROCEEDINGS, PERSUADE THE JUDGE THAT FURTHER RESTRAINING ORDERS ARE JUSTIFIED.

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ONE OF THE DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED BY THE GOVERNMENT LISTED 27 SEPARATE CONTACTS THE FORMER CIA OFFICIAL HAS HAD WITH THE NEWS MEDIA IN LESS THAN A YEAR.

IN ADDITION TO PUBLICATIONS AND NEWS SERVICES WHICH INTERVIEWED HIM DIRECTLY, THE GOVERNMENT SAID, THERE WERE OTHER NEWS MEDIA--INCLUDING THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS--WHICH MADE INDIRECT USE OF MARCHETTI'S REMARKS BY QUOTING FROM THE STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED TO HIM IN THE AMERICAN PRESS.

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